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2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

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House District 123, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	49		
Land in farms (acres)	4,908		
Average size of farm (acres)	100		
Irrigated Acres	34		
Total Number of Farm Operators	80		
Market Value of Production (dollars)	2,122,000		
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	43,304		
Government Payments (dollars)	40,000		
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	3,632		
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	31,000		
FARMS BY SIZE			
1-9 Acres/Farm	5		
10-49 Acres/Farm	23		
50-179 Acres/Farm	15		
180-499 Acres/Farm	4		
500-999 Acres/Farm	2		
1,000+ Acres/Farm	=		
LAND USE	_		
Farms with Cropland	45		
Farms with Woodland	28		
Farms with Other	36		
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	3		
	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	2,122	118	179
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/			
Grains and oilseeds	87	117	147
Tobacco	-		30
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	152
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	144
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	(D)	(D)	166
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	10	110	132
Poultry and eggs	5	107	129
Cattle and calves	33	126	146
Milk products	(D)	(D)	126
Hogs and pigs	-		127
Sheep, goats, and their products		(D)	101
Sheep, goals, and their products	(D)	(D)	134
Horses, ponies, mules	(D) 14	(D) 110	134

House District 123, Pennsylvania (continued)

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)	-		
Pheasants	(D)	(D)	96
Cattle and calves	317	123	150
Horses and ponies	103	123	153
Layers 20 weeks old and older	75	123	137
Sheep and lambs	34	124	140
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TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain	706	112	141
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	591	127	158
Soybeans	162	106	124
Oats	149	84	131
All Wheat for grain	88	111	128
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FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES			
Less than \$1,000	21		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1		
\$500,000 or more	1		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,145		
Average per farm (dollars)	34,589		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	-264		
Average per farm (dollars)	-4,263		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION			
Farming	26		
Other	23		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER			
Male	49		
Female	-		
Average age of principal operator (years)	54		
ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/			
White	72		
Black or African American	-		
American Indian or Alaska Native	-		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-		
Asian	-		
More than one race	6		
All operators with Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin 4/	-		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

- 1/ Custom work, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.
- 2/ Universe is the number of house districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 203 house districts.
- 3/ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.
- 4/ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.
- 5/ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line. Position in the table does not indicate rank.